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**For: SPUNLACED LOOP MATERIAL FOR A REFASTENABLE FASTENING
DEVICE AND METHODS OF MAKING SAME**

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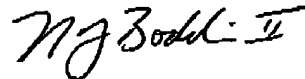
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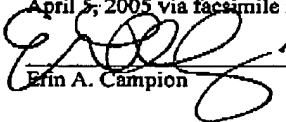


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RESPONSE TO FINAL OFFICE ACTION OF MARCH 11, 2005

Sir:

Applicants provide the present Response to address the issues raised in the Final Office Action (the "Final Action") mailed March 11, 2005. Applicants provide the present Response pursuant to the rules stated in revised 37 C.F.R. 1.121 that became effective on July 30, 2003.